

## THE VOTES AND POINT VALUES

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- 1** Amendment offered by Representative Bob Beauprez (R-CO) to decrease NEA funding for FY07 and redirect \$30 million to the Wildland Fire Management budget of the U.S. Forest Service.  
Date: May 18, 2006  
Result: Failed by a vote of 112 to 306  
Citation: 109th Congress, 2nd session, roll-call vote 166  
Pro-arts: No  
Value: 19 points
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- 2** Amendment offered by Representative Bob Beauprez (R-CO) to decrease NEA funding for FY06 and redirect \$30 million to the Wildland Fire Management budget of the U.S. Forest Service.  
Date: May 19, 2005  
Result: Failed by a vote of 122 to 298  
Citation: 109th Congress, 1st session, roll-call vote 195  
Pro-arts: No  
Value: 19 points
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- 3** Amendment offered by Representative Joel Hefley (R-CO) to decrease NEA funding for FY06 by \$15 million and provide a corresponding increase to the Payments in Lieu of Taxes (PILT) program at the Department of Interior.  
Date: May 19, 2005  
Result: Failed by a vote of 109 to 311  
Citation: 109th Congress, 1st session, roll-call vote 191  
Pro-arts: No  
Value: 19 points
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- 4** Amendment offered by Representative Dave Obey (D-WI) to restore \$100 million to the budget of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.  
Date: June 23, 2005  
Result: Succeeded by a vote of 284 to 140  
Citation: 109th Congress, 1st session, roll-call vote 305  
Pro-arts: Yes  
Value: 19 points
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- 5** Amendment offered by Representative Jeb Hensarling (R-TX) as a substitute budget resolution. The amendment included nonbinding language expressing the sense of the House that several programs ought to be eliminated, including the NEA and the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.  
Date: March 17, 2005  
Result: Failed by a vote of 102 to 320  
Citation: 109th Congress, 1st session, roll-call vote 83  
Pro-arts: No  
Value: 6 points
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- 6** Membership in the Congressional Arts Caucus. The list is maintained by the office of Caucus Co-Chair Representative Louise Slaughter (D-NY).  
Pro-arts: Yes  
Value: 6 points
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- 7** Cosponsorship of H.R. 1120, offered by Representatives Jim Ramstad (R-MN) and Ben Cardin (D-MD), allowing artists and creators to claim a tax deduction for the fair market value of gifts of their own work to nonprofit arts organizations for mission-related use.  
Result: Pending  
Pro-arts: Yes  
Value: 6 points
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- 8** Co-signed a Congressional Arts Caucus "Dear Colleague" letter in either 2005 or 2006 or both, asking House appropriators for a funding increase for the NEA. The letters were initiated by Caucus Co-Chairs Representatives Slaughter (D-NY) and Chris Shays (R-CT).  
Pro-arts: Yes  
Value: 3 points
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- 9** Signed a Congressional Arts Caucus "Dear Colleague" letter in either 2005 or 2006 or both, asking for a funding increase for the Department of Education's arts education grant programs. The letters were initiated by Caucus Co-Chairs Representatives Slaughter (D-NY) and Chris Shays (R-CT) as well as Representative Jerrold Nadler (D-NY).  
Pro-arts: Yes  
Value: 3 points
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